SENIORITY LIST OF OFFICERS OF P. W. D.

336. Sri J. P. SARWESH (Sedam).— Will the Minister for Public Works and Electricity be pleased to state :—

(a) whether any Mysore Civil Service Ordinance has been promulgated on 29th June 1973 ;

(b) whether the gradation list of seniority of Public Works Department Officers have been prepared ;

(c) whether the direct recruits are given benefit of seniority from the dates of their appointment only ;

(d) whether the promotions given so far are being reviewed and reversions of promoted P. W. D., Officers are being done ?

Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

(a) Yes.

(b) The seniority list of officers of P. W. D., is being prepared and action has been taken separately to publish the seniority list (gradation list of the officers of the PWD).

(c) The direct recruits in the cadre of Assistant Engineers are given seniority on the basis of the provisions made in the Recruitment Rules.

(d) The Mysore Ordinance No. 1 of 1973 provides among others that promotion etc., of the allottees be reviewed on the basis of ranks in the Final Inter-State Seniority List made from 1st November 1956 upto date Action is being taken by Government in accordance with the provisions of the said Ordinance.

Sri J. P. SARWESH.— I have no supplementaries.

DIKSANGA PROJECT IN AFZALPUR TALUK

346. Sri D. B. KALMANKAR (Afzalpur).— Will the Minister of State for Major Irrigation be pleased to state :—

(a) whether the Diksanga Project has been investigated on top priority basis in Afzalpur Taluk as ordered by the Government;